CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

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Public Notice No. 7-12-15 April 12, 2012

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS BOARD ORDER R7-2012-0026

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Water Board) has prepared tentative Board Order R7-2012-0026 for the Riverside County Economic Development Agency's Blythe Airport Water Treatment System Class II Surface Impoundments located at 16720 W. Hobsonway in the city of Blythe, Riverside County, California 92225. The Regional Water Board intends to consider adopting the Tentative Board Order during a Public Hearing that will commence at the time and place indicated:

Date: May 17, 2012 Time: 9:00 a.m.

Location: California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Colorado River Basin Region

Board Room

73-720 Fred Waring Drive, Suite 100

Palm Desert, CA 92260

The Regional Water Board will accept written comments regarding this Tentative Board Order during a thirty (30) day public comment period, which begins April 12, 2012 and ends May 14, 2012. Persons wishing to submit written comments on the tentative Board Order are requested to do so as soon as possible, but no later than May 14, 2012. Written comments may be faxed to the Regional Water Board offices at (760) 341-6820. Mailed written comments should be sent to the following address:

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Interested persons are invited to attend and express their views orally on this matter at the Public Hearing. The Regional Water Board requests that those persons wishing to speak at the hearing provide a copy of their oral comments in writing before or during the hearing to assure accuracy of the record.

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Copies of the tentative Board Order are available on the Regional Water Board's website at:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/coloradoriver/board_decisions/

Interested persons requiring a hard copy of the Tentative Order should contact Hilda Vasquez at (760) 776-8950.

Please bring the foregoing to the attention of anyone you believe may be interested in this matter.

Any person who is disabled and requires special accommodations to participate in this Public Hearing, please contact Hilda Vasquez at (760) 776-8950 no later than ten (10) days before the scheduled Public Hearing.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Jennie Snyder at (760) 776-8936.